

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<b>In re Application of:</b>	Demetri Psaltis	<b>Examiner:</b>	Christopher Ray Lamb
<b>Application No.:</b>	10/664,681	<b>Group Art Unit:</b>	2627
<b>Filing Date:</b>	September 19, 2003	<b>Confirmation No.</b>	4072
<b>Office Action Date:</b>	September 28, 2006	<b>Docket No.</b>	10758-58
<b>Title:</b>	HIGH DENSITY OPTICAL DATA STORAGE	<b>Customer No.</b>	66498

Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

This amendment is filed in response to the Restriction Requirement of September 28, 2006.

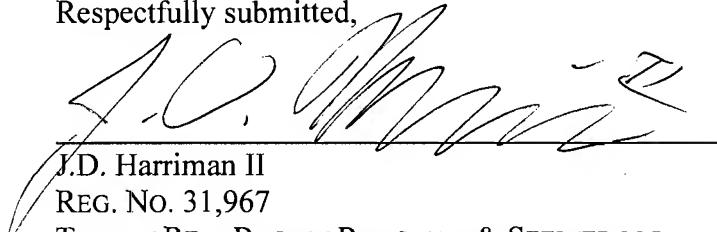
In the Restriction Requirement, election was required between Species I (Fig. 2: inkjet printing); Species II (no figure: holey fibers); and Species III (Fig. 3: laser particle shaping).

Applicant respectfully traverses the restriction requirement, but provisionally elects Species 1, consisting of Figure 2, consisting of claims 1-7 for prosecution on the merits.

Applicant hereby requests a two month extension of time to respond to this action. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee and any additional required fees from Deposit Account No. 502811, Deposit Account Name THELEN REID BROWN RAYSMAN & STEINER LLP.

Should the Examiner have any questions concerning the foregoing, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned attorney at (310) 712-8300. The undersigned attorney can normally be reached Monday through Friday from about 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM Pacific Time.

Respectfully submitted,



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